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Invention: A REINFORCED SHUTTER
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Serial No.: 10/690, 136
Application of: MILLER, James V.
Invention: REINFORCED SHUTTER
Filed: October 21, 2003
Examiner: PUROL, David M.
Our Docket: P00911-US-00 (25490.0028)

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a patent application of James V. Miller for A
REINFORCED SHUTTER (the "Application"). The Application is a continuation

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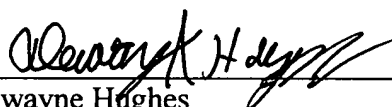
application and claims the benefit of U.S. Non-provisional Application No. 10/690,136, filed October 21, 2003 (the "Parent Application"). A check in the amount of \$500.00 is included herein for payment of the small entity filing fee of the Application.

Also submitted herewith, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(2), is a request for extension of time in the Parent Application. In connection therewith, a check in the amount of \$225.00 is also submitted to satisfy the cost of a two (2) month extension of time for the Parent Application.

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Respectfully submitted,



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